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In re Application of	:	OFFICE OF PETITIONS
Li-Wen Chen	:	
Application No. 10/635,690	:	DECISION ON REQUEST
Filed: August 5, 2003	:	TO WITHDRAW
Attorney Docket No. 52719.00045	:	FROM RECORD
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This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 CFR § 1.36(b), filed October 14, 2003.

The request is **APPROVED**.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney/agent of record must be signed by every attorney/agent seeking to withdraw or contain a clear indication that one attorney is signing on behalf of another/others. A request to withdraw will not be approved unless at least 30 (thirty) days would remain between the date of approval and the later of the expiration date of a time to file a response or the expiration date of the maximum time period which can be extended under 37 CFR § 1.136(a).

The request was signed by Aaron Wininger on behalf of himself and all the attorneys/agents of record. All attorneys/agents of record have been withdrawn.

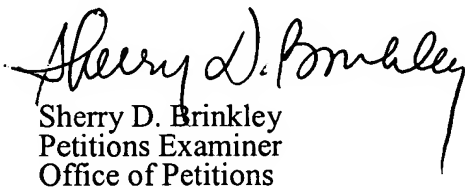
The request to change the correspondence address of record is not acceptable as the requested correspondence address is not that of: (1) the first named inventor or (2) an intervening assignee of the entire interest. All future communications from the Office will be directed to the first named inventor or the assignee of the entire interest under 37 CFR 3.71 at the first copied address below until otherwise properly notified by the applicant.


It is noted that a Request for Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent and Change of Correspondence Address was filed February 2, 2004, February 9, 2004 and August 22, 2005, respectively. As none of these requests included a reason for withdrawal under the mandatory or permissive reasons enumerated in 37 CFR 10.40, the Office was unable to approve the request.

Applicant should note that the change of correspondence address filed November 30, 2005 has been accepted and the address has been changed accordingly. However, in view of the present decision, **there is no attorney of record at this time.**

Applicant should also note that there is an outstanding Office action mailed March 28, 2006 that requires a reply from the applicant.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Sherry D. Brinkley at 571-272-3204.


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